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Mr. Alfonso Rodriquez
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Dear Mr. Rodriquez:

Given the fine work here by your nominees in past sessions of our Program for Executives, it hardly surprising that our Admission Committee quickly accepted the nomination of [] to join the group that will be with us in the next session of the Program for Executives, February 3 to April 5, 1974.

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In the meantime, [] and I had a chance to meet in Washington, going over the preparatory readings in some detail and also discussing some specific topics for his own, independent work while he's here with us. I was impressed by the progress he has made on the fairly substantial preparatory readings, and his eagerness to dive into the work here.

At this point I've met with practically all of the Americans in the incoming class and I'm confident that Charlie will find his nine weeks here not only professionally challenging but also enjoyable from a personal point of view. I do hope that you will have a chance to come up and visit while he is here with us.

Again, thank you for entrusting Charlie to us.

Cordially,



Bernard P. Goldsmith
Associate Dean

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Enclosure: cc of letter to []